

First Report of the Committee on Estimates (Ports) —Presentation

Sri K. F. PATIL (Byadgi).—Madam, I present the First Report of the Committee on Estimates on Ports.

MADAM SPEAKER.—The First Report of the Committee on Estimates on Ports is presented.

Statement by the Minister for Public Work and Electricity**Re : Tipranth Tank**

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—Madam, I wish to make a statement regarding the Tipranth Tank.

1 Tipranth tank lies in the outskirts of Basavakalyan. It has an ayacut of 350 acres. Earthwork for effecting repairs to the bund of the tank was taken up on 5-3-1973. This was also the place where the Prime Minister landed on 10-3-1973 at Basavakalyan.

The labour strength working on the tank from the date of commencement of work varies from 450 to 1975. It is not correct to say that there was a labour strength of 5000 working on the tank when the Prime Minister visited the place. The daily labour attendance on the tank is as follows:—

5-3-73	450 labourers	
6-3-73	1040	„
7-3-73	1500	„
8-3-73	1500	„
9-3-73	1500	„
10-3-73	1975	„
11-3-73	1500	„
12-3-73	400	„
13-3-73	nil	(on account of feast)
14-3-73	864	„
15-3-73	1100	„
16-3-73	1145	„
17-3-73	1150	„
18-3-73	950	„
19-3-73	700	„
20-3-73	1132	„
21-3-73	1146	„
22-3-73	} Round about 1100	
23-3-73		
24-3-73		
8-4-73	} about 300	
9-4-73		